

"We are singing today of the Wipe-Out Gang," Bob Dylan wrote on the back of Highway 61 Revisited. "The Wipe-Out Gang buys owns and operates the insanity factory." Now I'm not sure how much that has to do with the Wipe-Out Gang that debuts tomorrow except that they revisit such bands as the McCoys, the Outsiders, the Remains and the Raiders. The members, from such combos as the Chowderheads, Napalm Sunday and the Young Fumblers have dropped their first names law-firm style preferring to be known only as Vaughn, Vogelmann, Henderson, Johnson and Farnsworth and are in it for fun. I also know that these last name-guys can be mighty entertaining on stage. Now as to the Insanity Factory, "If you don't know where that is located, you should hereby take two steps to the right, paint your teeth and go to sleep."

The Wipe-Out Gang with the Friggs: Thurs., May 14 at 10 p.m. at Doc Watson's Pub, 216 S. 11th St., \$3, 922-3427.

--Peter Brown